STATE OF ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE FOREIGN Title Companies

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING PREMIUM TAX AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

It is necessary to include your NAIC number in the spaces provided. Do not use the federal identification number in place of your NAIC number.

FILING OF PREMIUM TAXES, FEES, and ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT

At this time, the Alabama Department of Insurance does not have an EFT account. The Department has established a lock box operation for receipt of ALL Premium Taxes and Fees. Premium Taxes and Fees, ALL tax returns, and the Annual Statement should be sent to one of two lock boxes. It is the responsibility of the Company to see that Filings are timely and mailed to the correct Lock box.

PREMIUM TAX RATE: The maximum tax rate in Alabama is 3.6% for Property and Casualty Business. The tax rate may be reduced by completing the Office Facilities Credit Worksheet. The Worksheet and a list of offices in Alabama or a list of investment Real Estate must accompany your premium tax return.

THE ITEMS BELOW ARE DUE BY MARCH 1 OF EACH YEAR

- 1. Annual Premium Tax Return and Checks
- 2. Two (2) forms of documentation in support of deductions taken on the Premium Tax Return.
- 3. Official List
- 4. Application for License Renewal
- 5. Annual Financial Statement
- 6. Actuarial Opinion
- 7. Office Facilities Credit Worksheet
- 8. \$500 Annual Audit and Examination Fee and Transmittal Form—this item only, see reverse side for address
- 9. Certificate of Compliance
- 10. Certificate of Deposit

POSTAL SERVICE Alabama Department of Insurance c/o Compass Bank P. O. Box 830691 Birmingham, AL 35283-0691 COURIER OR EXPRESS SERVICE Alabama Department of Insurance c/o Compass Bank 701 South 32nd Street Birmingham, AL 35233

FILING REQUIREMENTS - Audit and Examination Fees and due dates

The Annual Statement Audit and Examination Fee for Mutual Aid Associations, Fraternal Benefit Societies, and Health Maintenance Organizations is \$150. The Audit and Examination Fee for all other licensed insurance companies is \$500. A check should be attached to the Transmittal Form and mailed to the address below:

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FILING REQUIREMENTS – Fees (see premium tax returns)

1. Annual Statement Filing Fee: \$ 25.00

2. License Renewal Fees: 505.00

SUPPLEMENTAL FILINGS -DUE DATES

Supplemental filings made with a Company's state of domicile and the NAIC do not have to be made with the Alabama Department of Insurance, i.e. the expense exhibit, etc. Such Documents can be retrieved electronically from the NAIC database. Please use the NAIC Annual Statement Instructions as a guideline.

Foreign Insurers are not required to file Quarterly Financial Statements with the Alabama Department of Insurance.

ALL FILINGS WITH THE ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE MUST BE MAILED BY THE U. S. POSTAL SERVICE OR COURIER. HAND DELIVERED DOCUMENTS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

CONTACT PERSONS

All questions relating to premium tax should be addressed to the Department of Insurance, Examiners Division: Ann Strickland (334-241-4154) or Belinda Williams (334-241-4162).